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## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH

In re: Bankruptcy No. 24-23530 Chapter 7 AMMON EDWARD BUNDY Honorable William T. Thurman Debtor.

## DECLARATION OF ERIK F. STIDHAM IN SUPPORT OF MOTIONS TO COMPEL RYAN BUNDY'S AND BUNDY MOTORS COMPANY'S COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2004 SUBPOENAS FOR EXAMINATIONS AND PRODUCTION OF **DOCUMENTS**

- I, Erik F. Stidham, declare and state as follows:
- 1. I am a partner in the Boise office of the law firm of Holland & Hart LLP and am licensed to practice law in the State of Idaho. I am admitted to this Court pro hac vice for this case. Along with my colleagues identified above, I am counsel for St. Luke's Health System, Ltd.,

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St. Luke's Regional Medical Center, Ltd., Chris Roth, Natasha D. Erickson, M.D., and Tracy W. Jungman, NP (collectively, the "St. Luke's Creditors").

- 2. I am familiar with the facts and proceedings in this matter and have personal knowledge of the matters stated in this Declaration.
- 3. I make this Declaration in support of St. Luke's Creditors' Motions to Compel Ryan Bundy's and Bundy Motors Company's compliance with Rule 2004 Subpoenas filed concurrently herewith.
- 4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is a true and correct copy of a partial transcript of the Rule 2004 Examination of Debtor Ammon Bundy.
- 5. On February 14, 2025, St. Luke's Creditors mailed First Amended Subpoenas to both Ryan Bundy and Bundy Motors to Ryan Bundy's address in Mesquite, Nevada (61 Riverside Road Mesquite, NV 89027-5905). Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is a true and correct copy of correspondence to Ryan Bundy dated February 14, 2025. The First Amended Subpoenas required appearance for oral examinations in St. Goerge on March 3, 2025 (Ryan) and March 4, 2025 (Bundy Motors). Each subpoena further required the production of documents by the third parties on the date of each examination.
- 6. The St. Luke's Creditors' counsel prepared for the examinations, travelled from Boise to St. George for the examinations, and arranged for a videographer and court reporter to attend and make a record of the examinations.
- 7. On March 2, 2025, a day prior to Ryan's examination on March 3, 2025, counsel for St. Luke's Creditors emailed bundymotors27@gmail.com. Attached hereto as **Exhibit C** is a true and correct copy of the March 2, 2025, email to Ryan Bundy. The email provided Ryan with

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copies of the First Amended Subpoenas for both himself and Bundy Motors and reminded him of

the upcoming examinations. No response was made to the email.

8. Ryan Bundy failed to appear for his examination on March 3. After the time it was

set to begin, counsel for St. Luke's Creditors emailed Ryan Bundy, indicating he and the court

reporter were waiting for Ryan Bundy to show up. Attached hereto as Exhibit D is a true and

correct copy of the email to Ryan Bundy dated March 3, 2025. Ryan Bundy did not respond to the

email or show up.

9. Later that day on March 3, counsel for St. Luke's Creditors emailed Ryan Bundy

again about the Bundy Motors examination set for the next day. Yet again, no response was

provided. Given the entire lack of responsiveness, counsel for St. Luke's Creditors notified the

court reporter that the examination for Bundy Motors would need to be reset with assistance from

the Court and notified Ryan Bundy of the same on March 4. True and correct copies of these

communications are attached hereto as Exhibit E.

10. As of the date of this Motion to Compel, neither Ryan Bundy nor Bundy Motors

has produced documents responsive to the requests in the First Amended Subpoenas.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is

true and correct.

Executed this 15th day of April, 2025.

<u>/s/ Erik F. Stidham</u>

Erik F. Stidham

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on April 15, 2025, I electronically filed the foregoing with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Utah by using the CM/ECF system. I further certify that the parties of record in this case, as identified below, are registered CM/ECF user.

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